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# Falcon Grand Prix Trophy Professional Road Race

140 miles

SUNDAY, 31st AUGUST, 1969

10 a.m. start

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Bill Lawrie winning the National Road Race Championship 1969

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Supporting Event

# The Falcon Professional Criterium

(40 miles)

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# INTRODUCTION

Dear Spectators,

Falcon Lightweight Cycles have pleasure in presenting to the people of Barton-upon-Humber (we believe for the first time) a weekend of Professional Cycle Racing, which will be new to most of you. Full details of courses for both the Criterium and Grand Prix Events appear on pages 4 and 5.

The Saturday evening Criterium event is similar to those promoted on the Continent; these small Criteriums are held regularly throughout the Summer in the small villages of France and Belgium (some of you may have seen such racing when you have been on holiday on the Continent). Cycle racing in these countries is, of course, the National sport and thousands of spectators turn up to see their favourites in action. Our own Television Sports Programmes have given more coverage to Cycle Racing during the past few years, and we hope **you** will enjoy this weekend's exciting racing.

Most important of all is that **you**, the Spectator, keep well back from the road at all times and co-operate in keeping all young children and pets off the main racing circuit: this will give the cyclists a clear road, avoid any risk of accident and ensure the success of our events.

The Sunday race, of course, is much more strenuous, covering a total distance of 142 miles. There are some excellent spots on the course where there is plenty of room to park your car and picnic. Most of the circuit has a wide grass verge, so do please ensure that your car is completely clear of the highway at all times.

You have the opportunity this weekend of seeing Britain's finest Racing Cyclists in action—Hugh Porter (No. I on the Programme) is the World Champion for 1968 at Pursuit Racing, and our own Falcon rider, Bill Lawrie, recently won this year's National Road Race Championship. The Holdsworth team contains many star riders, including Les West (twice winner of the Tour of Britain) and Reg Barnett (National Sprint Champion). In the Bantel Team, Vin Denson has just returned from the Continent after living and racing there for six years—he has been a competitor in the 'Tour de France' and 'Tour of Italy' and in fact won one of the stages in the 'Tour of Italy'. Carlton have seven extremely strong riders—if on form, Wes Mason will be the "danger man" to watch this weekend. I have already mentioned Hugh Porter of the Mackeson Team—an extremely strong team who have been riding together for three seasons and one of the most powerful combinations in the country today. Colin Lewis was National Road Racing Champion in 1967 and 1968.

In conclusion, may I ask all Riders, Helpers and Spectators to help us to make this event successful, so that we can look forward to even better things in 1970. We do want to bring cycling of this standard to Barton-upon-Humber each season, but the future of this type of sport depends upon us all.

E. A. Clements.

(Works Director)

# Saturday, 30th August, 1969 FALCON CRITERIUM

CIRCUIT.

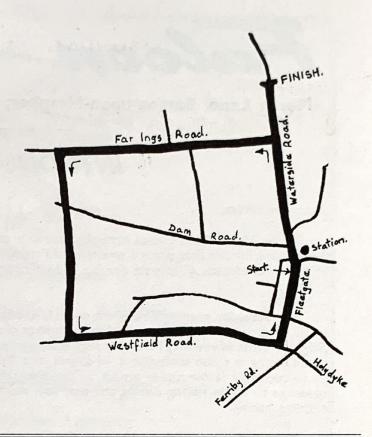
Start: 6.30 p.m.

Finish: 8.10 p.m. (approx.)

Start: opposite Barton Railway Station in Fleetgate; bear left into Waterside; left into Far Ings Lane and **second** left on to unclassified road; left into Westfield Road; left into Fleetgate to complete circuit. (2.7 miles).

15 laps to be covered: to finish in Waterside 250 yards past junction with Far Ings Lane.

Total distance: 41 miles.



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## SUNDAY, 31st AUGUST

# Falcon GRAND PRIX

#### CIRCUIT

Headquarters: Barton Town Football Club.

#### Course:

Start outside headquarters 9.45 a.m. and proceed to Brigg Road for Start Proper at 10.00 a.m. on B.1218 near junction with A.1077 (opposite George Hotel). Proceed south to join circuit at junction with A.15. Proceed along A.15 and after descent of Elsham Hill (care-bends) take first left to Elsham Village. Continue through village and then turn left on hill.

At road junction turn right and proceed to Melton Ross, where turn left and proceed through Burnham Village (care—corners) to crossroads.

Left on to A.15 to complete circuit at junction with B.1218. (13.5 miles).

Complete 10 laps: at the end of 10th lap turn right on to B.1218 — proceed to Barton, turn left at George Hotel and proceed via Westfield Road, right into Fleetgate, to finish in Waterside at approximately 4.00 p.m.

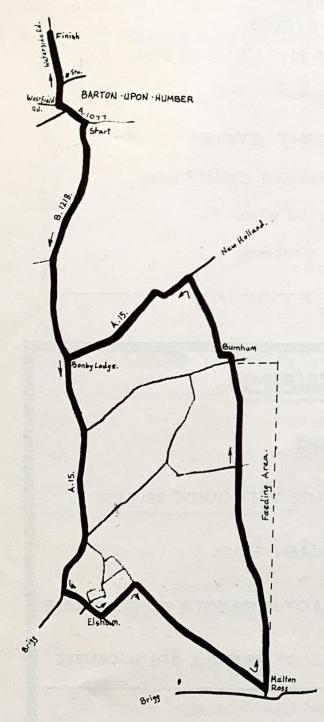
Total Distance: 142 miles.

#### TIME SCHEDULE

Start: 10 a.m. Finish: 4.06 p.m. (approx.)

Bonby Lodge Junction	Elsham Village	Melton Ross Village	Burnham Village
10.6	10.15	10.23	10.33
10.41	10.50	10.58	11.08
11.16	11.25	11.33	11.43
11.51	12.00	12.08	12.18
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Turn right at completion of Lap 10 (Bonby Lodge) to finish in Barton at approximately 4.06 p.m.



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## Saturday, 30th August

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 World Championships Selection (Track)

Goz Goodman
 Derek Green

5. Colin Lewis National Road Champion 1967/68

#### FALCON (Blue/Red/White)

6. Bill Lawrie7. Albert Hitchen1969 National Road ChampionFalcon Team Captain

8. Mick Holmes

#### BANTEL (All Black)

George Halls

9. John Clarey World Championships Selection (Road)

10. Vin Denson

12. Mick Ives13. Jim Moore

11.

14. Bill Painter

15. Steve Taylor

16. Derek Woodings

## BROADHURST BISCUITS/BOB JACKSON CYCLES (White/Orange/Black)

17. Benny Dobson18. Pete Gordon World Championships Selection (Track)

## CARLTON/TRUWELL/CAMPAGNOLO (Blue/White/Yellow/Black)

19. John Aslin20. Trevor Bull World Championships Selection (Track)

Mick Cowley
 Tony Gowland World Championships Selection (Track)
 Wes Mason World Championships Selection (Road)
 Arthur Metcalfe World Championships Selection (Road)

25. Reg Smith World Championships Selection (Road)

# M AND GRAND PRIX ROAD RACE

#### COMPETITORS

## CHRIS. BARBER/SUN/HURET (Green/White)

- 26. Roger Claridge
- 27. Mick Coward
- 28. Ron Pannell

## CROAD AUTOMATIC/GRANVILLE (Blue/White)

- 29. Charlie Callan
- 30. Alan Huntingdon
- 31. Bill Perkins
- 32. Eddie White
- 33. Doug Petty

#### GEOFFREY BUTLER CYCLES (Blue/White)

- 34. Martin Filmer
- 35. Barry Jones

### HOLDSWORTH/CAMPAGNOLO (Orange/Blue/White)

- 36. Bob Addy 1st Vaux Grand Prix 1969.
- 37. Reg Barnett National Sprint Champion 1969
- 38. Roger Newton
- 39. Dave Nie World Championship Selection (Road)
- 40. Les West Tour of Britain Winner

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- 44. Graham Bufton
- 45. Dave Hamilton

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At the Finish, please keep behind the ropes: do not crowd the road when the Winner comes in as there are always other riders and vehicles following. Please do not mis-judge the speed of the riders—they will be doing approximately 30 m.p.h. at various times, so it is important that all Children, and especially Dogs and other Pets, are kept under control.

We are most anxious that his event should be a success and we must comply with Police regulations. No parking whatsoever will be permitted in the area of the Finish—do endeavour to keep completely off the road with your cars.

Prize Presentations for both events will take place immediately after each race on Saturday and Sunday, when the first three riders will receive their prizes.

Falcon route markers will appear all over the course; these direction arrows show the route the cyclists will take and will also give you the approximate times of arrival.

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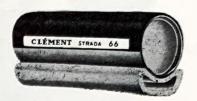




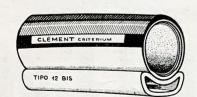


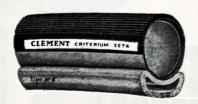








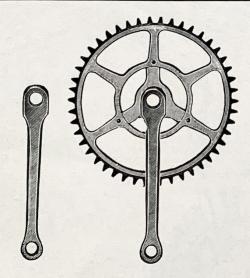




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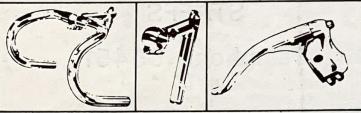
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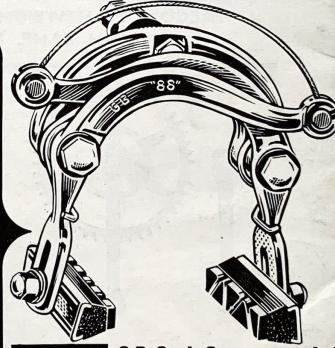
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